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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENTS AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:
Little et al.
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Group Art Unit: 2142
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 22, 2005 (hereinafter the "Office Action"), a Petition for a two-month extension of time and the required fee being submitted herewith, the Assignee respectfully requests that the above-referenced patent application be reconsidered for the reasons stated herein below.

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